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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
SUSUMU KATO, ET AL. : EXAMINER: CLARDY, S.
SERIAL NO: 10/066,560 :
FILED: FEBRUARY 6, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1616
FOR: SOLID AGRICULATURAL : ALLOWED: JANUARY 13, 2004
CHEMICALS COMPOSITION,
PREPARATION THEREOF AND THE
METHOD FOR SCATTERING THE SAME

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

SIR:

Further to the Notice of Allowance dated January 13, 2004, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner acknowledge consideration of the reference cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed May 29, 2003, by initialing the associated Form PTO-1449. Attached are copies of the Form PTO-1449 and date-stamped filing receipt.

Respectfully submitted,

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